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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 27th Saturday in 1907 (6th July 1907).

District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday. This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1907. This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c	I.	c	I.	c.	I	c.	I.	c.		This week.	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
												Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	89	...	...	7	11	...	...	..	...				
„ City & Taluk...	1	30	...	28	13	28	9	37	+ 3	91				
Hoskote ...	...	...	...	27	10	55	8	25	+ 2	30				
Dodballapur ...	...	44	...	43	7	77	9	10	— 1	33				
Nelamangala ...	...	8	...	18	10	80	7	99	+ 2	81	Rice, 2nd	7·00	7·00	8·96
Kankanhalli ...	...	15	...	64	10	48	10	49	— 0	1	sort.			
Magadi ...	...	52	...	11	18	70	6	73	+11	97	Ragi	15·00	15·00	19·54
Channapatna ...	...	10	...	40	13	95	8	84	+ 5	11	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Anekal ...	...	83	...	26	13	62	10	94	+ 2	68	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·98
Devanhalli ..	...	20	...	75	10	66	9	11	+ 1	55				
Closepet ..	...	50	...	31	16	48	9	43	+ 7	5				
District average...	...	41	...	36	12	63	9	3	+ 3	60				
Kolar ...	...	...	...	40	11	64	6	85	+ 4	79				
Bowringpet ..	...	10	...	42	8	16	7	86	+ 0	30				
Chintamani ...	...	...	...	44	10	72	6	68	+ 4	4	Rice, 2nd	7·00	7·00	8·87
Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	67	12	92	7	76	+ 5	16	sort.			
Sidlaghatta ...	...	21	...	45	10	56	7	44	+ 3	12	Ragi	16·00	17·00	21·45
Chikballapur ...	1	5	...	62	10	66	10	36	+ 0	30	Kulthi	14·00	15·00	..
Bagepalli ...	1	85	...	35	9	98	5	29	+ 4	69	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·00
Goribidnur ...	...	59	...	29	7	50	6	25	+ 1	25				
Malur ...	...	...	...	29	10	19	8	43	+ 1	76				
Srinivaspur ...	...	52	..	90	9	33	8	15	+ 1	18				
Gudibanda ..	...	90	1	...	11	2	7	26	+ 3	76				
District average...	...	47	...	53	10	24	7	48	+ 2	76				
Tumkur ...	...	61	..	34	10	18	8	94	+ 1	24				
Maddagiri ...	...	80	...	42	6	13	5	98	+ 0	15				
Chiknayakanhalli ..	...	...	...	27	8	7	8	95	— 0	88	Rice, 2nd	8·50	8·50	9·25
Sira ...	...	29	...	18	4	86	5	80	— 0	94	sort.			
Gubbi ...	1	42	...	16	9	66	7	...	+ 2	66	Ragi	18·00	18·00	22·90
Tiptur ...	...	...	...	8	6	84	7	72	— 0	88	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Pavagada ...	...	44	...	14	4	29	5	48	— 1	19	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·15
Kunigal ...	...	...	...	19	10	54	7	32	+ 3	22				
Koratagere ...	...	25	...	28	8	54	6	55	+ 1	99				
Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	9	5	55	6	97	— 1	42				
District average...	...	38	...	22	7	47	7	7	+ 0	40				

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1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week.	Past week.	Past ten years, fortnightly average.
												Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
MYSORE. Mysore ...	...	5	...	21	10	39	11	9	—	70	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·45
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	6	9	23	11	21	— 1	98				
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	28	12	19	8	54	+ 3	65				
Hunsur ...	...	73	...	48	11	27	12	16	— 0	89				
Yedatore ...	...	...	...	24	9	41	9	38	+ 0	3	Ragi	16·00	15·75	18·75
Heggaddevankote ...	...	90	..	76	10	56	12	63	— 2	7	Kulthi	16·60	15·50	...
Gundlupet ...	...	35	...	30	13	67	9	33	+ 4	34	Kadale	8·50	9·25	10·11
Nanjangud ...	...	10	...	28	12	30	9	94	+ 2	36				
T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	16	8	38	10	6	— 1	68				
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	14	8	18	7	99	+ 0	19				
Mandya ...	...	40	...	5	14	26	8	42	+ 5	84				
Krishnarajpete ...	...	45	...	33	9	60	9	50	+ 0	10				
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	33	8	79	5	86	+ 2	93				
District average...	...	23	...	28	10	63	9	70	+ 0	93				
HASSAN. Hassan ...	1	9	...	52	13	9	11	8	+ 2	1				
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	4	85	27	3	28	87	— 1	84				
Arkalgud ...	5	49	...	88	9	40	12	33	— 2	93				
Belur ...	2	45	...	87	12	26	13	73	— 1	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	9·50	9·95
Channarayapatna ...	1	38	...	17	5	87	8	84	— 2	97				
Arsikere ...	...	33	...	14	5	79	7	97	— 2	18	Ragi	20·00	20·00	22·87
Hole-Narsipur ...	1	11	...	59	9	91	9	79	+ 0	12	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
Alur ...	1	80	..	95	17	95	13	39	+ 4	56	Kadale	9·00	8·50	9·10
District average...	1	81	1	12	12	66	13	25	— 0	59				
SHIMOGA. Shimoga ...	1	91	...	77	13	31	11	56	+ 1	75				
Channagiri ...	...	26	...	42	8	19	8	31	— 0	12				
Honnali ...	1	8	...	35	5	...	9	22	— 4	22	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·50	11·19
Shikarpur ...	1	79	...	92	12	6	11	39	+ 0	67				
Sorab ...	3	83	2	89	18	85	17	51	+ 1	34	Ragi	19·00	20·00	25·15
Sagar ...	11	45	4	12	30	80	24	73	+ 6	7	Kulthi	13·00	13·50	...
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	10	93	6	75	37	78	32	59	+ 5	19				
Tirthahalli ...	8	44	8	34	27	62	37	29	— 9	67				
Kumsi ...	3	56	1	23	15	45	13	50	+ 1	95				
District average...	4	81	2	87	18	78	18	46	+ 0	33				
KADUR. Chikmagalur ...	3	5	...	82	11	72	13	3	— 1	31				
Kadur ...	...	13	...	40	7	24	7	52	— 0	28	Rice, 2nd sort	8·50	8·50	10·00
Tarikere ...	...	42	1	37	5	78	11	45	— 5	67				
Koppa ...	11	38	9	28	35	11	36	71	— 1	60	Ragi	20·00	20·00	21·70
Mudgere ...	5	22	5	83	32	48	30	72	+ 1	76	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Yedahalli ...	4	50	4	2	21	12	20	...	+ 1	12	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·20
Sringeri ...	16	21	11	10	52	88	46	14	+ 6	74				
District average...	5	84	4	69	23	76	23	65	+ 0	11				
CHITALDRUG. Chitaldrug ...	1	17	...	33	6	63	7	39	— 0	76				
Challakere ...	...	70	...	24	6	98	4	73	+ 2	25	Rice, 2nd sort	9·00	8·75	10·00
Hiriyur ...	...	31	..	14	7	84	5	89	+ 1	95				
Holalkere ...	...	47	...	26	9	57	7	49	+ 2	8	Ragi	20·00	20·00	22·00
Davangere ...	3	22	...	54	7	45	8	85	— 1	40	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	...	57	...	23	5	13	6	41	— 1	28	Kadale	8·00	10·00	9·90
Jagalur ...	2	35	...	29	5	76	8	21	— 2	45	Cholum	18·00	18·00	20·20
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	28	5	91	6	41	— 0	50				
Harihar ...	1	56	...	30	6	25	6	87	— 0	62				
District average...	1	15	..	29	6	84	6	92	— 0	8				
Provincial average ...	1	89	1	29	12	88	11	94	+ 0	93				

Note.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Doli hos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Price of food grains—Rice	... 7	6 to 6¾	seers per rupee.
Ragi	... 19	14 to 15	

Agricultural operations.—Sowing of ragi, cholum and avaré. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being made ready for sowing. Ploughing still continues in some parts.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Avare, ragi, punaji paddy and til are reported to have been sown in some parts.

Crop harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy is reported to have been harvested in some parts of the Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Stock of food stuffs sufficient.
11. Public health generally good. Three cases of cholera are reported from Orohalli in the Hoskote Taluk.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operation.*—Ploughing is almost completed.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops sown.—Kartika paddy in the Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur Taluks; ragi in the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks; ballor in the Chintamani Taluk; savè in the Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Srinivaspur Taluks; haraka in the Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks; avarè in the Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in some parts of the Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Probable outturn of Vaisakhi paddy, from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.
11. Except for a few sporadic cases of plague at Robertsonpet, and Ooregaum in the Bowringpet Taluk, public health generally good.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing.

State of standing crops good, but more rain is required in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada.

Crops sown.—Paddy in Maddagiri, Gubbi, Tiptur and Turuvekere; ragi in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Koratagere; cholum in Maddagiri, Gubbi and Tiptur; avaré in Chiknayakanhalli and Maddagiri; castor in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Koratagere; togari in Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli; haraka in Maddagiri, Gubbi and Koratagere; ground-nuts in Gubbi; navane, sajje and pulse in Pavagada; sugar-cane in Kunigal and Turuvekere; save in Maddagiri; and gram in Maddagiri and Tiptur.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in almost all the taluks except Maddagiri, Sira, Pavagada and Koratagere; cotton in Pavagada, and sugar-cane in Kunigal.

10. Prospects of the season good.
11. Public health good in the district except in Gummagatta, Pavagada Taluk, where cholera has broken out. Necessary precautions have been taken.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands in parts of the Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks are being ploughed and made ready for cultivation. Paddy is being transplanted in parts of Yedatore.

Standing crops.—Such as cholum, til, sugar-cane, mulberry, castor, kar paddy, black and green grams, etc., are reported to be good in all the taluks, except in some villages of the Dod Kowlandi Hobli, Nanjangud Taluk.

Crops sown.—Paddy and ragi in parts of Nanjangud are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of Krishnarajpete, and milled in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

10 Prospects of the season good. Standing crops are reported to be in urgent need of rain in parts of the Mysore, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks.

11. Public health good, but cholera prevails in parts of the Yedatore and Heggaddevankote Taluks.

12. Cattle reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder available throughout but reported not to be sufficient in some villages of the Nanjangud Taluk.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operation* is going on in the Hassan Taluk. Paddy is being transplanted in the Hassan and Manjarabad Taluks.

Standing crops, viz., Paddy and ragi in the Manjarabad and Belur Taluks; ragi, togari, avare, castor, cholum and paddy in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; and paddy and sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna and Arkalgud Taluks, are in good condition. Crops on dry lands require more rain in almost all parts of the District.

Crop sown —Dod-ragi is being sown in the Hassan Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stuffs available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Belur Taluk; cholera in parts of the Arkalgud Taluk; and small-pox and ague in parts of the Manjarabad Taluk, public health generally fair.

12. Cattle are in good condition. Water, pasturage and fodder available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing operations are almost completed in the Shimoga, Sagar and Nagar Taluks. Paddy seedlings are being transplanted in portions of the Malnad Taluks of the District.

Standing crops, viz., paddy, ragi and sugar-cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Cholum, green gram and cow gram have been sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs are available in sufficient quantities.

11. Public health generally good. But small-pox continues to prevail in the Channagiri Honnali, Shikarpur and Nagar Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. But murrain prevails in the Sorab and Sagar Taluks. Fodder and pasture available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in Tarikere, Kadur, Yedahalli, Koppa and Chikmagalur; arecanut and cardamom in Koppa; gid-ragi, til and paddy, etc., in Chikmagalur and Kadur; and ragi and paddy in Mudgere, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy, ragi, horse gram and castor in Tarikere; paddy in Chikmagalur; cholum, til, green gram, black gram, wheat, coriander and castor in Kadur and Tarikere; and paddy in Yedahalli and Sringeri were sown.

Crop harvested and its yield.—

Sugar-cane in Kadur, yield about 14 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. More rain is reported to be still needed in parts of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

11. Public health generally good. But plague is prevailing in a mild form in Chikmagalur, and in a few villages of its neighbourhood.

12. Cattle healthy. But "Dod Roga" is still prevailing in some villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, and in the Sringeri Jahgir. The Inspector of cattle diseases in Mysore is reported to have been addressed to in the matter.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Good.

Crops sown.—Til and cholum in almost all the taluks, ragi in the Holalkere and Davangere Taluks; cotton in the Jagalur Taluk; horse gram in the Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks; castor in the Jagalur, Molakalmuru, Hosdurga and Challakere Taluks; togari in the Davangere, Jagalur, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, were sown during the week.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

BANGALORE,
10*th July* 1907.

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